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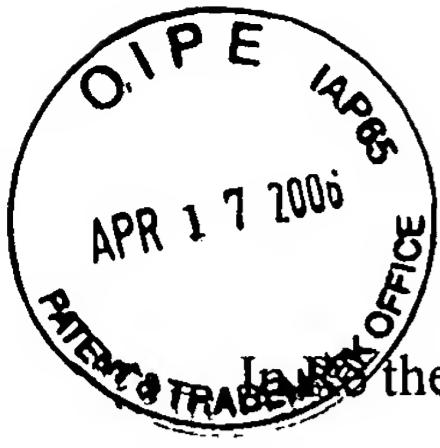
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METHODS TO DETERMINE  
AUTHENTICATION PRIORITY  
BETWEEN DEVICES**

Art Group: 2687

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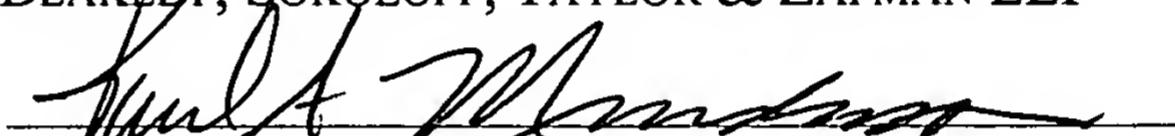
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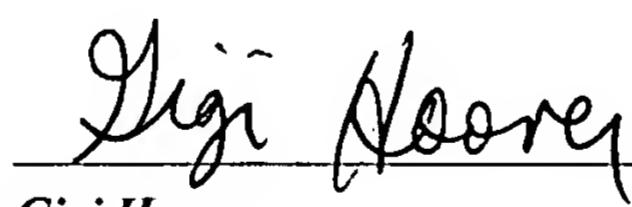
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